

# UTILITY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

The Electrical Utility Technology program is a sequence of courses designed to meet the needs of the student interested in attaining entry-level knowledge and skill necessary to work in the electrical utility industry. The program also provides the student with an avenue to pursue opportunities in other areas of the utility industry. Learning opportunities develop academic, technical, and professional knowledge, work ethics, and practical skills required for job acquisition, retention, and advancement. The program emphasizes a combination of electrical utility theory and practical application necessary for employment. The Telecommunications and Security Technology program is designed to give students the knowledge and skills to work in diverse fields associated with the telecommunications industry. Course topics range from broadband to wire line technologies, as well as other low voltage type systems. In addition to the technical aspects of the program, management and leadership courses are included to better prepare students to deal with management, accounting, planning issues, and other skill sets related to being a manager or supervisor in this area.



## TREND DATA

|                   | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  |
|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>ENROLLMENT</b> | 2,005 | 1,907 | 1,947 |
| AWARDS            | 1,517 | 1,273 | 1,465 |
| <b>GRADUATES</b>  | 859   | 708   | 786   |

# **AWARDS BY LEVEL: 2021-2023**

| TECHNICAL CERTIFICATES OF CREDIT | TCSG<br>IPLOMAS | ASSOCIATE DEGREES |
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# **COLLEGES OFFERING**

Albany Athens Atlanta Augusta Central Georgia Coastal Pines Georgia Northwestern Georgia Piedmont Gwinnett Lanier

# PROGRAMS INCLUDED

Automation Engineering Technology Basic Flectrical Technician Basic Electrician Basic Electronic Assembler Basic Electronics Technician Cable Installation Specialist Commercial Electrical Construction Technology Commercial Electrical Technician Commercial Wiring Convergent Telecommunications Technology Digital Flectronics Technician Electrical Construction Electrical Contracting Technician Electrical Lineworker Electrical Systems Technology Electrical Technology

North Georgia

South Georgia

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Savannah

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Electrical Utility Technology Electronics Technology IEC Electrical Apprenticeship Industrial Controls Technician Industrial Electrical Controls Industrial Flectrical Technology Industrial Wiring Technician Low Voltage Electronic Safety and Security Techni Low Voltage System Installer Manufacturing Maintenance Specialist Mobile Electronics Technology NCCER Electrical Systems Technician NCCER Electrical Systems Construction and Maintena NCCER Specialty Electrical Services Photovoltaic System Installation and Repair

Residential Electrical Technician Residential/Commercial Wiring Apprentice Residential/Industrial Wiring Sustainable Technologies Telecommunications and Security Technology Telecommunications Service/Operations Transit Electronics Technician Variable Frequency Drives Technician Wireless Engineering Wireless Networkina Technician

Southeastern Southern Crescent Southern Regional West Georgia Wiregrass Georgia

# **DEMOGRAPHICS** SYSTEM OVERALL

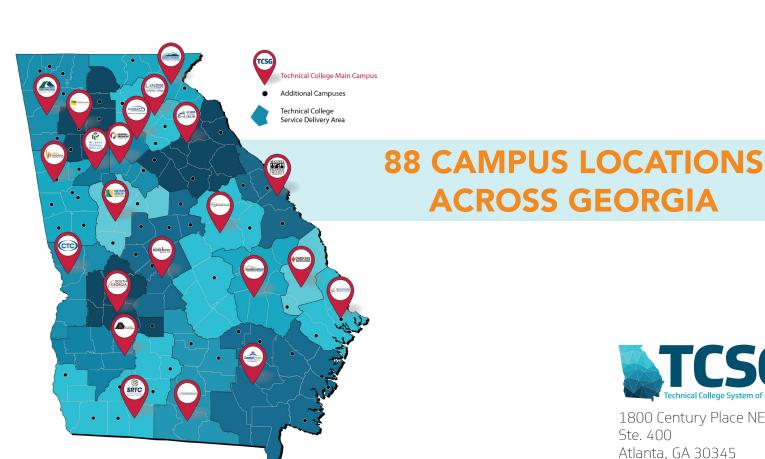


## FINANCIAL AID

The HOPE Career Grant provides Free Tuition for students that enroll in one of 18 High Demand career fields. It also helps Georgia's employers by creating a pipeline of skilled workers they can hire well into the future. In addition, many technical college students of all ages in Diploma and Technical Certificate programs have unique access to tuition assistance for workforce credentials. Georgia's HOPE Grant (a separate program from the HOPE Scholarship) is available to Georgia residents who are working towards a certificate or diploma at an eligible college in Georgia.

### TCSG GRADUATE GUARANTEE

To demonstrate confidence in and commitment to quality technical education programs which are relevant, current, and responsive to the stated expectations of Georgia's businesses and industries TCSG guarantees every graduate from a technical certificate of credit, diploma or associate degree program. The TCSG warranty guarantees that the graduate has demonstrated the knowledge and skills and can perform each competency as identified in the industry-validated Standard or Program Guide, and any program graduate who is determined to lack such competence will be retrained at no cost to the employer or graduate for tuition or instructional fees.





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